

# THE BLAIR COUNTY YARD WASTE COMPOST RECYCLING FACILITY

**Blacksnake Road, Ashville, 941-6675**

The Blair County Compost Facility is open year-round. Hours: from the week of April 1 to the fourth week of November are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 10 am to 5 pm. Saturday hours are 9 am to 3 pm. Winter Hours, from the fourth week of November to the week of April 1, are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 8 am to 4 pm. There are no Saturday hours during the winter schedule. Please note that the facility is closed on Wednesdays, Sundays, and all County holidays. Call the Blair County Department of Solid Waste & Recycling at 696-4620 or 949-2566 to answer your recycling and composting questions!

## Materials Taken At Site For Recycling

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• newspapers and phone books</li><li>• magazines and catalogs</li><li>• junk mail and office paper</li><li>• used oil (motor oil, transmission fluid, power steering fluid)</li><li>• #1 and #2 plastic bottles and jugs</li><li>• corrugated cardboard</li><li>• steel (tin) cans and aluminum cans</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• cell phones</li><li>• automotive batteries</li><li>• ink jet printer cartridges</li><li>• CDs and DVDs</li><li>• rechargeable batteries</li><li>• cooking oil (a small fee is charged)</li><li>• used oil filters (a small fee is charged).</li></ul>
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### Yard Waste Tip Fees

There is no charge for yard waste brought in private automobiles in small quantities. Fees will be charged for truck-load quantities delivered to the site based on the following rates:

automobiles	free
small pick-up trucks	\$4
standard pick-up trucks	\$5
standard van	\$5
dump truck	\$10
tandem/triaxle	\$20
season pass –	
one truck	\$175
additional trucks	\$10 each

### Compost & Mulch Sales

Unscreened mulch:  
self-serve  
(for automobiles only) – free  
1 skid loader scoop - \$5

Screened mulch & compost:  
1 skid loader scoop - \$10.

**There is no free shoveling  
of screened material!**



### Did you know that:

- the leaves and grass clippings you bring to the compost site today will be next year's compost
- the trees and brush you bring to the compost site today will be tomorrow's mulch
- the used cooking oil you bring to the compost site for recycling is sent to a processor and used as an ingredient in animal feed for poultry, dogs, and cats
- the newspapers, books, junk mail, magazines, and catalogs you bring to the compost site today are sent to a processor and made into tomorrow's newspapers, books, junk mail, magazines, and catalogs.

**Visit us at [www.blaircounty.org](http://www.blaircounty.org) for more information!**

# Blair County Recycles & Composts!

If you live in **Logan Township**, your hauler will collect the following recyclables at your curb:

- aluminum cans
- steel/tin cans
- clear, brown, and green glass bottles & jars
- newspapers and catalogs

**Remember to prepare all items properly:**

- Empty and rinse
  - Cans, glass food & beverage bottles & jars, #1 and #2 plastic bottles & jugs
- Remove caps and throw them away.
- Metal cans and plastic bottles & jugs may be flattened.
- Labels do not need to be removed.
- Put newspapers & phonebooks in paper bags.
  - Keep separate from magazines & catalogs. Keep dry.

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## RECYCLING FACTS

- >Recycling one glass bottle saves enough electricity to light a 60-watt bulb for 4 hours.
- >Aluminum cans produced in the United States can contain at least 50% recycled content.
- >Americans represent only 5% of the world's population but generate 30% of the world's garbage.
- >Recycling 1 ton of old paper saves 7,000 gallons of water.
- >If not recycled, 1 quart of used motor oil could pollute 250,000 gallons of drinking water.
- >Recycling saves energy and reduces air pollution as well as greenhouse gas emissions.

Visit [www.dep.state.pa.us](http://www.dep.state.pa.us) for the official PA-DEP Recycled Products Guide.



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